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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5683-N-09]

Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Comment Request

Multifamily Contractor's Mortgagor's Cost Breakdowns and Certifications

AGENCY: Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

Contractors use the form HUD–2328 to establish a schedule of values of construction items on which the monthly advances or mortgage proceeds are based. Contractors use the form HUD–92330–A to convey actual construction costs in a standardized format of cost certification. In addition to assuring that the mortgage proceeds have not been used for purposes other than construction costs, HUD–92330–A further protects the interest of the Department by directly monitoring the accuracy of the itemized trades on form HUD–2328. This form also serves as project data to keep Field Office cost data banks and cost estimates current and accurate. HUD–92205A is used to certify the actual costs of acquisition or refinancing of projects insured under Section 223(f) program.

DATES: Comments Due Date: [Insert Date 30 Days after the date of publication.]

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval Number (2502-0044) and should be sent to: HUD Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; fax: 202-395-5806. Email: OIRA Submission@omb.eop.gov fax: 202-395-5806.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Colette Pollard., Reports Management Officer, QDAM, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20410; e-mail Colette Pollard at <u>Colette.Pollard@hud.gov</u>. or telephone (202) 402-3400. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Pollard.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice informs the public that the Department of Housing and Urban Development has submitted to OMB a request for approval of the Information collection described below. This notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affecting agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposed: Multifamily Contractor's Mortgagor's Cost Breakdowns and Certifications.

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OMB Approval Number: 2502-0044.

Form Numbers: HUD-2328, HUD-92330-A, and HUD-92205-A.

Description of the need for the information and proposed use:

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which the monthly advances or mortgage proceeds are based. Contractors use the form

HUD-92330-A to convey actual construction costs in a standardized format of cost certification.

In addition to assuring that the mortgage proceeds have not been used for purposes other than

construction costs, HUD-92330-A further protects the interest of the Department by directly

monitoring the accuracy of the itemized trades on form HUD-2328. This form also serves as

project data to keep Field Office cost data banks and cost estimates current and accurate. HUD-

92205A is used to certify the actual costs of acquisition or refinancing of projects insured under

Section 223(f) program.

Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection including

number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response: The number of

burden hours is 5,840. The number of respondents is 350, the number of responses is 780, the

frequency of response is on occasion, and the burden hour per responses is 5.

Status: Extension without change of a currently approved collection.

Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Date: <u>January 16, 2013</u>

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